



Youth Basketball

A youth basketball program emphasizing fundamentals and sportsmanship. Participants increase their skills through weekly competition.

For: Boys and girls in grades 5, 6, 7 & 8 (boys and girls play separately).

Evaluations: All boys and girls will have mandatory evaluations. See dates, times and locations below:

Boys	
<u>December 4:</u>	
5 & 6 Boys:	8:30am-10:30am @ BRMS
7 & 8 Boys:	10:30am-12:30pm @ BRMS
<u>December 11:</u>	
5 & 6 Boys:	10:30am-12:30pm @ BRMS
7 & 8 Boys:	8:30am-10:00am @ BRMS

Girls	
<u>December 3:</u>	
5 & 6 Girls:	5:30pm-7:15pm @ Eisenhower
7 & 8 Girls:	7:15pm-9:00pm @ Eisenhower
<u>December 4:</u>	
5 & 6 Girls:	9:00am-11:00pm @ Eisenhower
7 & 8 Girls:	11:00am-1:00pm @ Eisenhower

Games: Games will begin Saturday, January 8, 2005 and run to March 19, 2005. Boys will play games at the Bridgewater Raritan Middle School, High School and Hillside. Girls will play games at Eisenhower. Practices will be held one night a week and games will be held on Fridays, Saturdays or Sunday pending registration.

Important: Due to overlapping schedules, children are not permitted to register for both Youth Basketball and the Ski Program.

Cost: \$60.00 Bridgewater residents and \$65.00 Raritan residents. Checks payable to "Bridgewater Township"

Registration Deadline: Friday, October 15, 2004

Registration after deadline will result in a \$5.00 late fee with no guarantees of being placed, if not accommodated, registration fee will be returned. **Three ways to register!** In person at the Bridgewater Recreation Department (Municipal Building – 700 Garretson Road) 9am to 5pm Monday to Friday, drop registration off in the "REC" mailbox located around back of Municipal Building before or after office hours, or via postal service.

If interested in volunteering? All coaches and assistants must be Rutgers SAFETY Certified and are required to participate in a mandatory background check according to Township Ordinance (18 years of age & older).

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2004/2005 Youth Basketball

\$60.00 (\$65.00 late) Bridgewater residents / \$65.00 (\$70.00 late) Raritan residents
checks payable to "Bridgewater Township"

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Town: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone #: () _____ Parent Work #: () _____

Parent Cell #: () _____ Emergency Contact #: () _____

Parent E-mail Address: _____

Circle Grade as of September 2004: 5 6 7 8

Will you be playing for a CYO/traveling team? Yes or No

Circle Gender: Male or Female
If yes, which? _____

This is a contact sport. Injuries may occur. Please note that Bridgewater Township Recreation Department does not provide individual medical coverage for its participants. Each participant will be covered under his/her family's medical policy. It is recommended that families have insurance before the child participates. The Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel, alter, supplement, limit registration or change any other information.

Fan Behavior Policy

To all parents or guardians and coaches of children planning to participate in the upcoming recreation basketball season:

In the past few years we have come across some situations in the youth basketball program which has required the Bridgewater Recreation Department to implement the following zero-tolerance Fan Behavior Policy:

1. Spectators attending Bridgewater Recreation basketball games are not permitted to express negative comments of any kind to officials, coaches, players or Recreation staff. If you have a problem with a coach you are to discuss it with him or her when you drop-off or pick-up your child at practice during the week. If you have a problem with an administrator, you can call the Recreation Department and discuss it during the week. Input regarding the performance of officials will only be accepted from the Site Supervisor(s). Parents or guardians and coaches who wish to have an impact on officiating are invited to attend the eight (8) week referee certification course.
2. Any parent or guardian who does not follow the Fan Behavior Policy will be asked to leave the gym.
3. If necessary, the game will be stopped until removal from the gym is completed. In order to not inconvenience the teams that are scheduled to start the next game at a specific time, additional game time will not be added to make up for the delay.
4. A parent or guardian who does not exit the gym after being asked to by the Site Supervisor or official will be considered trespassing and the police will be summoned.

We hope that by calling your attention to this matter before the program begins will avoid any problems (and potential embarrassment) during the season. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation!

– The Bridgewater Recreation Department

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date _____



- ☐ Yes! I am interested in coaching.
☐ Yes! I am Rutgers certified.

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